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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, it is requested that the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be made of record in the above-identified application.

JP 53-122403 and DE 28 12 868 are counterpart applications of U.S. Patent No. 4,233,626.

JP 63-084789 is a counterpart application of U.S. Patent Nos. 4,861,964; RE 33,947; and 5,708,252.

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JP 2-222154 is a corresponding application of abandoned U.S. Serial No. 07/481,062.

Submitted herewith is the requisite fee of \$240.00. Hence, it is requested that the references submitted herewith be considered and made of record in the subject application. A duplicate of this paper is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, 1.17, 1.20(a), 1.20(b), 1.20(c), and 1.20(d) (except the Issue Fee) which may be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380.

A copy of all the references cited on the attached Form PTO-1449 is submitted herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a).

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